

Ryan L. Bennett

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Work Experience

- 11/2008 to 5/2009** **Senior Producer**
Globalvision, Inc. / New York, New York
Production management for three feature length documentaries, which include budgeting, hiring support staff, securing, releases, coordinating international shoots, director of photography and assistant editing.
- 12/2006 to 11/2008** **Video Production Director / Producer**
New Life Worship Center / Indianapolis, Indiana
Grow and maintain a high quality technically produced nationally syndicated television production. Recruit, train and coordinate volunteers for live productions.
- 8/2008 to 10/2008** **Consultant / Project Manager**
Kiwanis International / Indianapolis, Indiana
Hired as a consultant to construct a television production studio. Researched and recommended equipment for a multi-functional and portable studio.
- 12/2006 to 8/2007** **Floor Crew**
WXIN FOX59 Indianapolis & The CW4 / Indianapolis, Indiana
Production for the WXIN FOX59 Morning Show. Responsible for set-up and break down of studio. Operated studio cameras, teleprompter and served as floor director. Assisted with recording short promotional inserts for newscast.
- 05/2005 to 06/2008** **Youth Video Institute Coordinator**
Indiana Black Expo, Inc. / Indianapolis, Indiana
Responsible for implementation of IBE's flagship program. Recruited students hire staff, established relationships with industry executives, implement special projects and events. Manage the training program (YVI), television show (360 DEGREES), Production Company (YVI Productions) and staff under the Youth Video Institute umbrella.
- 10/2002 to 05/2005** **360 Degrees Producer / Instructor**
Indiana Black Expo, Inc. / Indianapolis, Indiana
Responsible for payroll and insure technical accuracy, and creative content for the television program. Taught basic fundamental telecommunication skills to inner city youth ages 13-19. Designed and maintained student handbook, created lesson plans, monitored students growth through set benchmarks.
- 02/2004 to 02/2006** **Chief Audio Engineer**
Light Of The World Christian Church / Indianapolis, Indiana
Lead Front of House audio mixer for Light Of The World Christian Church. Responsible for all audio and lighting equipment. Mixed for Sunday services and special events.
- 02/2003 to 09/2006** **Producer**
Radio One / Indianapolis, Indiana
Produced six-hour on air morning Talk Shows for AM1310 also managed and coordinated on-air talent.

Set Production Assistant

From February 2001 to September 2002

The Parkers- UPN, Boston Public - Fox Networks, Bringing Down The House - Touchstone Pictures, West Wing - NBC, Bruce Almighty - Universal, Training Day - Warner Bros.

Education

11/1999 – 11/2000 Full Sail Real World Education
96.3% G.P.A. Winter Park, Florida

Associate of Science in Recording Engineering
Course Director's Award for Advance Recording

1995-1999 North Central High School
3.0 G.P.A. Indianapolis, Indiana

High School Core 40 Diploma
Indiana Academic Honors Diploma

Skills

Software: MS Word, MS Excel (certified), MS PowerPoint, MS Outlook, QuickBooks, Photoshop, Final Cut Pro, Adobe Premiere, ProTools, Final Draft, I Movie, Live Type, Motions

Awards, Acknowledgments & Contributions

2009: **Feature Documentary, Durban 2: The Story Behind the United Nations**
Line Producer, Camera Operator, Assistant Editor

2009: **Feature Documentary, Barack Obama: The People's President**
Line Producer, Camera Operator, Assistant Editor

2007: **Short Film, I Never Meant**
Producer, Production Manager

2006: **Theatre Production, Who's Your Daddy**
Costumer for ACT at the Butler Black Box Theatre

2004: **Short Film, Not Today**
Producer, Director and Editor

2004: **Nuvo Magazine**
Noted as top 30 under 30 for Indianapolis

2004: **Down Wit It Entertainment**
Fashion Designer of the Year

2004: **Sean John Parisian Fashion Show**
Featured Designer

2004: **Theatre Production The Middle Passage**
Costumer for ACT at the Indiana Repertory Theatre

2004-2008: **SOS / Stamp Out Syphilis / Marion County Health Department**
Communications Chair for a large network of organizations all coming together to address the rising numbers in Sexually Transmitted Diseases in Indianapolis, Indiana

2003: **Theatre Production Decisions...Decisions...Decisions**
Writer and Director for the ACT Production at Butler University

References

Current Supervisor:	Danny Schechter	212.246.0202x3006
Previous Employer:	Tanasha L. Anders	317.413.9740
Former Co-Worker:	Alison Taylor-Fletcher	818.808.9889
Former Employer:	Vanessa Amos	931.220.2695